## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

(Small Entity)

Docket No. BAF-16802/29

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## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

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For: IN SITU ARTIFICIAL DISC REPLACEMENTS AND OTHER PROSTHETIC COMPONENTS

Enclosed are:

☐ Certificate of Mailing with Express Mail Mailing Label No. EV340745266US

Fifteen (15) sheets of drawings.

☐ A certified copy of a application.

☑ Declaration ☑ Signed. ☐ Unsigned.

☐ Information Disclosure Statement

□ Preliminary Amendment

Verified Statement(s) to Establish Small Entity Status Under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.

☑ Other: Application Data Sheet

## **CLAIMS AS FILED**

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